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CITY APPOINTS ACTING CORPORATE SERVICES COMMISSIONER

Medicine Hat – Medicine Hat City Council approved the appointment of an Acting Corporate Services Commissioner at Monday night's City Council Meeting.

Don Knutson, General Manager of Finance at the City of Medicine Hat, will be the Acting Corporate Services Commissioner until a permanent commissioner is recruited. Knutson is filling the vacancy left by ex-Commissioner Ray Gilmour.

The Commissioner of Corporate Services oversees the Finance, Human Resources, Information and Computer Services and Corporate Asset Management departments.

As part of the Corporate Services Division, Knutson also act as General Manager of Land and Properties. Along with Albert Nieman, Manager of Land and Properties, Knutson is the City liaison with developers and land owners in Medicine Hat.

"Don will provide excellent leadership in his role as Acting Commissioner of Corporate Services," says Gerry Labas, Chief Administrative Officer for the City. "He has been with the City for many years and always provides sound advice in a collaborative team environment. We are excited about the new perspective Don will provide to the senior administrative team and City Council."

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